

STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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June 12, 2013

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife Real Estate Services Division Attn: Phil Crane 600 Capitol Way North Olympia WA 98501-1091

Re: Trust Water Donation CS2-SWC2517 for Salmon Creek

Dear Mr. Crane:

The purpose of this letter is to acknowledge the Department of Ecology's acceptance of your donation to the Washington State Trust Water Right Program. The trust water right authorization has been assigned Water Right No. CS2-SWC2517. Please refer to this number when corresponding with us about this trust water right.

The Department of Ecology (Ecology), pursuant to RCW 90.42.080(1)(b), accepts your donation in the amount of 0.13 cubic feet per second and 0.93 acre-feet per year. The purpose of the donation is to benefit instream flow in Salmon Creek during the irrigation season.

You requested the ability to return this water to its original use with 30 days' notice to Ecology. This term of the donation is accepted.

This trust water right expires on May 1, 2015.

This trust water right is made possible by fallowing acreage at the recorded place of use, located within the Jas. Tucker Donation Land Claim No. 40 within Sections 23, 24, 25, and 26, T. 29 N., R. 2 W.W.M., Parcel No. 902234001.

RCW 90.42.080 provides in part that the total of any portion of the water right remaining with the donor plus the donated portion of the water right may not exceed the extent to which the right was exercised during the five years before the donation.

In accordance with RCW 90.42.040(6), RCW 90.14.140(h), and RCW 90.14.215, a water right is protected from relinquishment while it is managed within the Trust Water Right Program.

Ecology's acceptance of the donated water right into the trust water right program is not evidence of the validity or quantity of the right. When the period of trust ends, the water right will revert back to the water right holder in the full quantity accepted into the trust water program and for the original purpose.

If, prior to the expiration of this authorization, you would like to extend the temporary donation, you must send us a written request. Also, if you wish to modify the terms of your donation, your letter must specify the new terms. Ecology will review your request and any new or modified terms and conditions and will notify you of our decision.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact Marie Peter at (360) 407-0279 or mpet461@ecy.wa.gov.

YOUR RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have a right to appeal this decision to the Pollution Control Hearing Board (PCHB) within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision. The appeal process is governed by Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC. "Date of receipt" is defined in RCW 43.21B.001(2).

To appeal you must do the following within 30 days of the date of receipt of this decision:

- File your appeal and a copy of this decision with the PCHB (see addresses below). Filing means actual receipt by the PCHB during regular business hours.
- Serve a copy of your appeal and this decision on Ecology in paper form by mail or in person. (See addresses below.) E-mail is not accepted.

You must also comply with other applicable requirements in Chapter 43.21B RCW and Chapter 371-08 WAC.

ADDRESS AND LOCATION INFORMATION

Street Addresses	Mailing Addresses					
Department of Ecology	Department of Ecology					
Attn: Appeals Processing Desk	Attn: Appeals Processing Desk					
300 Desmond Drive SE	PO Box 47608					
Lacey, WA 98503	Olympia, WA 98504-7608					
Pollution Control Hearings Board	Pollution Control Hearings Board					
1111 Israel RD SW	PO Box 40903					
STE 301	Olympia, WA 98504-0903					
Tumwater, WA 98501						

For additional information visit the Environmental Hearings Office Website: http://www.eho.wa.gov. To find laws and agency rules visit the Washington State Legislature Website: http://www1.leg.wa.gov/CodeReviser.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Hallagher
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Section Manager

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SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION	COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY				
 Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired. Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you. Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits. Article Addressed to: 	A. Signature X W G G Agent Addressee B. Received by (Printed Name) C. Date of Delivery (17/13 D. Is delivery address different from item 1? Yes If YES, enter delivery address below:				
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March 15, 2010

WDFW Attn: Terra Hegy 600 Capital Way N. Olympia, WA 98501

RE: Water Rights - Temporary Trust

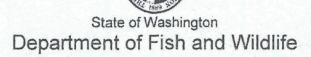
Olympic-Willapa Hills-South Puget Sound Wildlife Area Complex

North Olympic Wildlife Area Snow-Salmon Creek Unit

File#	Cert#	Location	Water Body	WRIA	Amount	Qi	UOM
S2-*05516CWRIS	2517	T29, R2W, S23	Salmon Creek	17	25 acres	.25	cfs
S2-*05515ALCWRIS	2516A	T29, R2W, S23	Snow Creek	17	15 acres	.15	cfs

The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) acquired the parcels (156 acres) involved with the above listed water rights in 2003-2004. In 2005 WDFW enrolled these properties on Salmon Creek and Snow Creek into the Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP) through the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS-USDA). This area is shown on the attached map, *Attachment A*. The original enrollment contract (CRP-2) for this program is attached to this document as *Attachment B* along with Conservation Plan of Action from the Jefferson County Conservation District (*Attachment C*).

The 29 acres that are enrolled in CREP on Salmon Creek consisted of a 180 foot native plant riparian buffer on both sides of Salmon Creek. These plants were installed during February and March of 2006 and totaled 18,000 by contract, however approximately 20,000+ were planted due to extra plant material that was available from other projects in the vicinity. During the summer maintenance seasons of 2006 and 2007, WDFW irrigated this large planted riparian buffer as needed utilizing water right file # S2-*05516CWRIS, Certification # 2517. The summer of 2006 was particularly dry, and field irrigation was necessary. WDFW utilized a gas powered agricultural field pump. This pump consists of an 8 HP motor and has the pumping capacity of 290 gpm. For irrigation purposes we reduced the outlet house to four garden house sections that could be placed and moved from plant to plant continuously throughout the workday. On average this occurred roughly 14 days in 2006 and 8 days in 2007. Based on roughly 40 PSI we estimate that each house distributed approximately 15 gpm (4 hoses = 60 gpm) on a 6 hour watering period per day = 302,400 gallons or just less than 1 acre foot in 2006.



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In 2007, approximately 172,800 were utilized for this irrigation need from this water right.

The 7 acres that are enrolled in CREP on Snow creek consists of a 180 foot native plant riparian buffer. These plants were installed in February and March of 2006 and totaled 4,300 plants. These plants were irrigated during 2006-2007 similar to need as described for the Salmon Creek CREP utilizing water right file # S2-05515ALCWRIS, Certification # 2516A. The same water pump was used at this location, however days/year are less than that for the Salmon Creek right. During 2006 WDFW irrigated the site 4 days which equals approximately 86,400 gallons during 2006 and for 2 days days in 2007 equaling 43,200 gallons.

Wildlife Area staff is interesting in placing both of these water rights into a temporary trust. If additional documentation is needed to justify the use please let me know.

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